

## Local Work Group development of local EQIP

Marshall-Beltrami

District FY06 EQIP

1. List the local resource concerns that EQIP can address:

**Water Quality/Resource Protection**

**Erosion Control**

**Habitat Improvement**

**Forestry**

2. If applicable, list any geographic regions (i.e. watersheds, townships, etc.) and their respective resource concerns within the District to receive priority: **Sections 1 – 6 Northwoods Township related to water resource concerns, and sections 1 – 12 Whiteford Township related to water resource concerns and erosion control.**
3. Prioritize and weight each local resource concern for the district or for each geographic region. Weight must be between 1 and 10:

Factor	Resource Priority	Weight	
A1. Erosion Control	H	8	
A2 Gully Control	M	5	
B1 Water Resource	H	10	
B2 Wastewater/CNMP	H	8	
C Wildlife Habitat	M	4	
D Air Quality	L	1	
E Impaired Water	L	1	
F Distance	L	2	
G Grazing System	H	8	
H Forest Mgt.	M	5	
I Additional Local*	H	6 or 4	

\* If the additional local concern is scored, describe the concern here and how points will be scored. **Projects found within the areas described in #2 above will receive 6 points for Factor I. An additional weight of 6 will be used as a local priority multiplier for sections 1-12 of Whiteford, and a weight of 4 will be used as a local priority multiplier for sections 1-6 of Northwoods.**

4. Attach the scoring worksheet as recommended for the district.
5. List any recommended practices to be deleted from the state Conservation Practice Payment Document

The local EQIP program description, cost-share docket changes, and ranking worksheet must be reviewed and approved by the State Conservationist before any EQIP contract is approved and signed.

This document serves as the Local Work Group recommendation for FY 06 EQIP. Attached is a roster of participation in the Local Work Group.

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Chair, Local Work Group

Date